NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Compulsive Gambling Prevention and Treatment **STATUTORY AUTHORITY:**

P.L. 1977. Sec.145 C110 (C5:12-145)

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 04-6-ADA **TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:**

Cost-reimbursement grants Letters of Agreement

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

1.) To provide for statewide prevention education, public information, and referral services regarding compulsive gambling; 2.) To provide intervention assessment, and treatment to compulsive gamblers, "problem bettors" and their families.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Approximately \$800,000 will be available in SFY 2004 to fund prevention and treatment awards, including those related to problems associated with off-track and account wagering. Treatment awards will be approximately \$10-15,000. Awards will begin on or about July 1, 2003 and will be for a 12 month period. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to the Annual Appropriation Act. Continuation awards within an approved project will be based on satisfactory progress and performance and availability of funds. The Council on Compulsive Gambling of NJ is named in the statute as a recipient of prevention funds and provides statewide education, prevention, public information, and referral services.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants
- 2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
- 3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Not-for-profit organizations. Preference will be given to continuation funding applications over applications from agencies or institutions not already receiving support.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

By statute, the Council on Compulsive Gambling of New Jersey is named as an eligible provider of Prevention and Education Services. Treatment and other prevention providers must meet the eligibility criteria to be established by the Division of Addiction Services.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Contact the Program for eligibility criteria and application.

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED AND DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Concept papers will be accepted throughout the year. Specific application deadlines will be included in any RFP's issued.

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